

ANGOLA



1976/7, National Reconstruction tax, 1st overprint set.

The four lower values of this series of duty stamps for financial transactions served a similar function to the colonial Assistencia stamps. They were not used for postage, but as a postal tax used on certain days to raise funds for the reconstruction of Angola after the colonial war. They were replaced the following year and so their short life makes them hard to find. Overprint by INA, Luanda,

1968. National Reconstruction tax.

The four lower values of the new series of duty stamps also served the same function as above. The 50c and 1Kz are easily sourced. The full set of duty stamps were replaced in the early 2000s - Yellow example right.



1980. The 1st National Congress of the MPLA

This set of stamp labels Issued for the 1st National Congress of the MPLA in Luanda comes in three values, 5, 20 and 100Kz. The stamps were a limited print-run by the Angolan National Press for the MPLA as a fundraising / promotional label. Only the 5Kz stamp is found attached to covers. Although listed by Palop, they are not an official Angolan postal issue and could not properly do postal service (even though creative examples exist!!). This, as with the Duty stamps, was printed by INA Luanda - Imprensa Nacional de Angola.



Examples of the two different versions of the 5Kz issue

Examples of the full set of National Congress labels



The 1968 National Reconstruction Tax Duty Stamps